

IN THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claims 3 and 4 have been amended and claims 12-15 have been added as follows:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (original): A biodegradable sheet comprising a resin composition, wherein the resin composition containing 75 to 25 mass% of a polylactic acid resin and 25 to 75 mass% of a polyester having a glass transition temperature of 0°C or less and a melting point higher than the glass transition temperature of the polylactic acid resin based on total 100 mass%, wherein the polylactic acid resin in the sheet has a degree of crystallization of 45% or less.

Claim 2 (original): A biodegradable sheet comprising a resin composition , wherein the resin composition containing 75 to 25 mass% of a polylactic acid resin and 25 to 75 mass% of a polyester having a glass transition temperature of 0°C or less and a melting point of 90°C or more, and wherein the polylactic acid resin in the sheet has a degree of crystallization of 45% or less.

Claim 3 (currently amended): The biodegradable sheet according to claim [[1 or]] 2, wherein the polylactic acid resin has a degree of crystallization of 20% or less.

Claim 4 (currently amended): The biodegradable sheet according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 3~~ claim 3, wherein the polyester is a biodegradable aliphatic polyester other than the polylactic acid resin.

Claim 5 (original): A biodegradable sheet comprising a resin composition, wherein the resin composition containing 75 to 25 mass% of a polylactic acid resin and 25 to 75 mass% of a polyester having a glass transition temperature of 0°C or less and a melting point higher than the glass transition temperature of the polylactic acid resin based on total 100 mass%, and wherein a molded article molded from the sheet has a volume reduction ratio of 6% or less.

Claim 6 (original): A biodegradable sheet for deep-drawing, comprising a resin composition, wherein the resin composition containing 75 to 25 mass% of a polylactic acid resin and 25 to 75 mass% of a polyester having a glass transition temperature of 0°C or less and a melting point higher than the glass transition temperature of the polylactic acid resin based on total 100 mass%, and wherein the polylactic acid resin in the sheet has a degree of crystallization of 45% or less.

Claim 7 (original): A molded article molded from a sheet that comprises a resin composition, wherein the resin composition containing 75 to 25 mass% of a polylactic acid resin and 25 to 75 mass% of a polyester having a glass transition temperature of 0°C or less and a melting point higher than the glass transition temperature of the polylactic acid resin based on total 100 mass%, and having a volume reduction ratio of 6% or less.

Claim 8 (original): A molded article molded from a biodegradable sheet that comprises a resin composition, wherein the resin composition containing 75 to 25 mass% of a polylactic acid resin and 25 to 75 mass% of a polyester having a glass transition temperature of 0°C or less and a melting point higher than the glass transition temperature of the polylactic acid resin based on total 100 mass%, and wherein the polylactic acid resin in the sheet has a degree of crystallization of 45% or less, at a temperature not lower than a melting point of the polyester and lower than a temperature by 30°C higher than the melting point of the polyester, and having a volume reduction ratio of 6% or less.

Claim 9 (original): The molded article according to claim 8, which is molded from a biodegradable sheet that comprises a resin composition, wherein the resin composition containing 75 to 25 mass% of a polylactic acid resin and 25 to 75 mass% of a polyester having a glass transition temperature of 0°C or less and a melting point higher than the glass transition temperature of the polylactic acid resin based on total 100 mass%, and wherein the polylactic acid resin in the sheet has a degree of crystallization of 45% or less, at a temperature not lower than a melting point of the polyester and lower than a temperature by 30°C higher than the melting point of the polyester, and then post-crystallized at a temperature not lower than the glass transition temperature of the polylactic acid resin and lower than the melting point of the polyester, and having a volume reduction ratio of 6% or less.

Claim 10 (original): A method for producing a molded article, comprising forming a molded article from a biodegradable sheet that comprises a resin composition, wherein the resin composition containing 75 to 25 mass% of a polylactic acid resin and 25 to 75 mass% of a polyester having a glass transition temperature of 0°C or less and a melting point higher than the glass transition temperature of the polylactic acid resin based on total 100 mass%, and wherein the polylactic acid resin in the sheet has a degree of crystallization of 45% or less, at a temperature not lower than a melting point of the polyester and lower than a temperature by 30°C higher than the melting point of the polyester.

Claim 11 (original): The method for producing a molded article according to claim 10, further comprising post-crystallizing the molded article formed from the biodegradable sheet at the molding temperature, at a temperature not lower than the glass transition temperature of the polylactic acid resin and lower than the melting point of the polyester.

Claim 12 (new): The biodegradable sheet according to claim 1, wherein the polylactic acid resin has a degree of crystallization of 20% or less.

Claim 13 (new): The biodegradable sheet according to claim 12, wherein the polyester is a biodegradable aliphatic polyester other than the polylactic acid resin.

Claim 14 (new): The biodegradable sheet according to claim 1, wherein the polyester is a biodegradable aliphatic polyester other than the polylactic acid resin.

Claim 15 (new): The biodegradable sheet according to claim 2, wherein the polyester is a biodegradable aliphatic polyester other than the polylactic acid resin.